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GIDEONS' STATE CONVENTION.

Will Hold Annual Meeting Here January 7 and 8.

SESSIONS OF TWO DAYS.

There Will be Fifty or More Delegates in Attendance.

The second annual State convention of the Gideons, an order made up of Christian traveling men of America, will be held in Hopkinsville Saturday and Sunday, January 7 and 8, 1905.

There are camps in the larger cities of the State and probably 100 delegates will be on hand. The Hopkinsville camp is No. 4 in Kentucky. The president is Mr. R. A. Rogers and the secretary Mr. T. G. Hiser.

The order was founded by Mr. I. H. Nicholson, who is now the president of the National Order. Mr. Nicholson was sleeping in a crowded hotel one night, being a commercial traveler, and the landlady found it necessary to give him a room mate. The latter entered the room after Mr. Nicholson had gone to bed and explained before going to bed that it was his custom to read the Bible and offer a prayer before retiring. Mr. Nicholson, who was also a Christian drummer, arose and joined the newcomer in his devotions. From this circumstance arose the order of Gideons. It has spread all over the country. The official badge is a button containing a pitcher with a light in it.

Its motto is from Judges 7: 21—"And They Stood Every Man in His Place Around the Camp."

The convention here will meet at the Episcopal church Saturday night Jan. 7, at which time the "Camp Fire" will be lighted, officers will be elected for the State camp and also for the local camp.

Some of the most prominent Gideons in the United States will be present, including President Nicholson.

Jno. V. Farwell, the dry goods merchant of Chicago, will occupy the pulpit at the Baptist church on Sunday.

Chas. A. Duncan, of Paris, State President, and Abner Johnson, of Madisonville, State Secretary, will be present.

The program comprises a sunrise meeting at 7 o'clock Sunday morning, a meeting at 2:30 and a general mass meeting at the Tabernacle at 7 p. m. Nearly all the city churches will allow the visitors to occupy their pulpits at 11 o'clock, with Christian talks.

The convention will be a very important and interesting gathering.

CIVIL WAR CLAIMS.

Two of Them Allowed Kentuckians by U. S. Court.

The United States Court of Claims has allowed the administrator of Kinchen Bell, of Union county, \$1,440 on a claim of \$6,600 for supplies furnished the Federal army during the Civil war. Sam B. Patterson, of Bracken county, was allowed \$165 for the same cause.

Kitty Prospects.

Clarksville, Tenn., Dec. 13.—There are said to be fifteen towns which are applying for membership in the 1905 Kitty Base Ball League. There will be an early meeting of the officials of the league, probably in Paducah to arrange some details for next season.

100 PER CENT IMPROVEMENT TO REPORT.

Only 99 Cases of Smallpox Now Remain In the Hospitals.

ONE DEATH AT CONCORD.

Further Wholesale Discharges to Be Made by End of The Week.

The Smallpox situation, all misleading reports to the contrary, is constantly improving, and is 100 per cent more favorable today than it was when the Kentuckian began giving statistical reports ten days ago.

Preparations were made Monday to place Mr. Jno. L. Griffith's child in Cedar Grove hospital and an agreement was had as to all details and conditions. For some reason the child was not taken Monday afternoon and Tuesday the family physician asked that the child be dismissed as well. This caused another delay and the child was not taken to the hospital.

Howard Giles, a young man from South Christian, was admitted to Cedar Grove hospital Tuesday, making 9 there, none of them very sick. Eight more negroes from near Howell were taken to the Concord hospital Tuesday. A negro man named Boyd, from Mr. Geo. W. Willis' farm, died there Tuesday. His case had been hopeless from the first. Dr. Jackson yesterday signed discharges for 28 at Concord and went to Gracey to discharge 14 there. Twelve were discharged there Tuesday by Dr. Crowe.

Dr. Jackson gives the present figures for the three hospitals, including all admissions and discharges up to yesterday:

At Concord, negroes,	64.
At Gracey, negroes,	26.
At Cedar Grove, whites,	9.
In Quarantine	3.

Total 102.

At least half of these are practically ready to let out. By this time next week, the hospital at Gracey should be closed and any remaining cases transferred to Concord. All of the cases at Cedar Grove are convalescent except two or three. The three cases in quarantine are well and will be released by Sunday.

The streets are now filled with shoppers and business is brisk with the merchants. The scare has at all times been greatly magnified, but the danger, if it ever was a danger, is now over.

The Kentuckian has dealt honestly with the public, believing it better to give actual figures as obtained from official sources.

Figures do not lie.

FIVE DEER

Killed by Hopkinsville Hunters in Mississippi.

Mr. C. R. Clark, who is one of a party of hunters from this city now in Mississippi, writes back that they are having fine sport and have killed much game. Besides many squirrels, ducks, quail and other small game, they had killed five deer up to Monday. The club is in camp near Itta Bena, and the weather has been fine for such sport. The hunters are expected to return home the last of the week.

Agreed On a Primary.

Elkton, Ky., Dec. 12.—The Democratic Committee of Todd county met here today and ordered a primary election for county offices, the date to be fixed later. A number of prospective candidates met with the committee and expressed themselves in favor of an early primary.

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CONTROVERSY OVER SKIN.

Raccoon Pelt Pays for Ferrying Across River, But Is Found Unsound.

Many years ago, as the story runs, when 'coonskins were worth six bits apiece in Arkansas, says Field and Stream, and a regular fee of two bits was assessed for ferrying a horseman across the St. Francis river, there came along a traveler whose entire capital consisted of but a single pelt—and the ferryman hadn't a cent of change in his pocket. The traveler was bound to cross, but refused to pay three times as much as the man who passed before him, or the one who was to come next. The ferryman would not wet an ear unless payment for his services was assured. Here was ample foundation for an argument, and presumably the opportunity was not neglected; but a satisfactory arrangement was finally reached, the traveler getting value received for his 'coonskin by being wafted thrice across the stream. This of course would leave him on the right side and neither party would have cause for complaint. Such was the generous spirit of accommodation which obtained in these earlier days; such—but hold on a bit! On the second trip the ferryman chanced to inspect the 'coonskin closely and found that it was by no means up to the recognized standard. Maybe it had been killed too early in the season, or was not properly stretched. Anyway he decided that four bits, was all it was worth, and the traveler frankly admitted the soundness of his judgment, acknowledged that he had received its value in the double ferryage, and forthwith started on his 50-mile ride up the river to the nearest point where it was fordable.

ALL POPES ALIKE TO HER.

Duchess of Bedford Gives History of Abbey, But Knowledge Is Very Scant.

The duchess of Bedford, who died in 1859, was rather weak-minded, and unhappily her education did little to disguise the defects which nature had imposed upon her. Her great dread was to have a visitor at Woburn Abbey who would ask her hard questions about the foundation and history of the abbey. So if she had a servant in the party she always asked a man of higher rank to meet him, so that she might not be taken in to dinner by the servant. Once, as bad luck would have it, she got Lord Stanhope, the historian, who, though he had to take her in to dinner, was none the less a savant. As soon as he sat down to dinner he began the dreaded inquiries about the date of the abbey. The poor duchess, much frustrated, said:

"I have a very poor head for these historical things, but I will tell you all I know. The founder was a Crusader, who, finding himself in great danger in battles, vowed that if he got home to Europe safe he would do anything the pope told him. He got back safe and went to Rome, and the pope told him to build a Cistercian abbey—and he built Woburn abbey. That's all I know."

Lord Stanhope said: "That is exactly what I wanted, for if you can tell me which pope it was I can approximately fix the date."

"Oh!" said the duchess. "I always understood it was the pope of Rome."

Curious Machinery Test.

Engineers judge of the condition of their machinery by the tone it gives out while running. Every engine, whether stationary or locomotive, has a particular tone of its own; the engineer becomes accustomed to that, and any departure from it at once excites a suspicion that all is not right. The engineer may not know what is the matter, he may have no ear for music, but the change in the tone of the machine will be at once perceptible, and being instantly recognized will cause him to start on an immediate investigation.

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DECEMBER 15, 1904.

The Weather.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 14.—For Kentucky—Fair and continued cold tonight and Friday.

Cassie Chadwick has suddenly found herself almost as famous as Carrie Nation.

Leap year is narrowing down to a question of days. Girls, you'll have to hurry.

Miss Daisy, the last of the Leiter sisters, has caught an English Earl as a Leap year prize, and will be married Dec. 28.

A bill has been introduced in Congress providing for federal supervision of the insurance business.

There was another heavy decline in Amalgamated Copper on the New York Stock market Monday, followed by a slump in other stocks.

There are five candidates for speaker of the Illinois house, but it is needless to say that all of them are Republicans.

A special from Eldorado, Ill., says that rescuers reached the four men who were entombed in the Eldorado Coal and Coke Company's mine, and found them dead. The bodies were brought to the surface.

More than 400 delegates are attending the National Cotton Convention in Shreveport, La. The meeting will be in session four days to discuss plans of exterminating the boll weevil.

The entire junior class of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute, 130 in number, resigned in a body on account of the dismissal of one of their members. The seniors and sophomores may also resign.

Circuit Judge Birkhead has decided the local option contest case in Calhoun in favor of the dry side. The election a year ago gave two majority for the wets, but the dry side contested and have won out. An appeal will be taken.

Walter Wellman has figured out the total vote in November at 13,513,820, or 455,233 less than the total vote in 1900. His summary is here given:

	1900	1904
Republican,	7,219,111	7,620,561
Democratic,	6,357,144	5,904,091
Prohibition,	208,187	248,411
Socialist,	99,613	392,857
Socialist Labor,	7,413	33,510
Populist,	1,585	125,381

Total vote, 13,960,053 13,513,820
Rep. over Dem. 861,967 2,520,470
It will be observed that Roosevelt had 401,450 more votes than McKinley had in 1900, while Parker falls 1,293,053 votes behind Bryan. Such are the essential totals of the amazing election of November last.

Of the missing Democratic votes, 72,000 voted for the Populist ticket, 293,000 for the Socialist ticket and 40,000 for the Prohibition ticket. The other 900,000 stayed at home. We may add in passing that 600 of the stay-at-homes were in this county.

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Richard H. Alvey, Chief Justice of the Court of Appeals, District of Columbia, will retire on the 31st inst., and it is said he will be succeeded by Senator Louis E. McComas, of Maryland. Judge Alvey was 67 years of age when he was appointed by President Cleveland.

HERE AND THERE.

FOR RENT.—House on South Main street. Apply to Higgins & Son, Dr. E. N. Fruit, Dentist, office over City Bank, Hopkinsville, Ky.

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The Fairview Review says a negro child, near Fairview, was burned to death one night last week. Its mother, Vic Perkins, went away and left it tied in a chair and in some way it fell into the fire. It died after lingering several days.

"The Midnight Express" company gave a good show Monday night, but the train had not arrived up to the time the curtain fell rather prematurely, leaving one lady fastened up in a burning building and three men engaged in a death grapple on the stage. The only reference to "a midnight express" was in one of the specialties early in the evening.

The winter term of Lockyear's business college will begin in this city Monday, Jan. 2, 1905, with the same courses that are taught in the main school at Evansville. The class rooms will be over W. T. Cooper & Co.'s, on Main street, a most desirable location. Prof. Lockyear's college in Evansville now has nearly 300 pupils.

NEW ENTERPRISE.

Button Factory Established in Henderson.

A button factory has been opened in Henderson. The buttons are made from mussel shells and five hundred tons of shells, a years supply, have been purchased. The factory has a capacity of six hundred gross of buttons per day and fifteen men are employed. The enterprise is said to be the only one of its kind east of the Mississippi river.

BEATS THE RECORD.

Two Wholesale Increases in Bavarian Family in 11 Months.

Munich, Bavaria, Dec. 13.—The Neuste Nachrichten reports that Frau Hilgen, of Troutburg, Bavaria, has given birth to six children within the past year.

Last January she had triplets and recently gave birth to triplets again. The medical authorities say this is the record in birth rates.

JAIL DELIVERY.

Prisoners at Cadiz Make Their Escape.

Tuesday night two prisoners, Bud Tyler and Nick Matthews, both colored, confined in jail at Cadiz on felony charges, made their escape, and up to yesterday afternoon they had not been located. The police here were notified of their escape and are keeping a sharp lookout for the men.

Ellis Richardson.

G. M. Ellis, of Earlinton, and Miss Avo Richardson, of Fairview, were united in marriage yesterday afternoon. Rev. W. H. Vaughan officiated.

BOLD

BURGLARS AT WORK.

Several Stores in Trenton Broken Open and Robbed.

THIEVES LEAVE NO CLUE

One Dwelling Was Entered While Owner Was at Church.

Several burglaries have been committed in Trenton within the past week. Last Sunday night Smith's saloon was entered and a case of fine whiskey was taken. The Trenton mill was also broken open and about 120 pounds of flour was carried off. While Glad Hewlett was at church a thief entered his home and secured a considerable quantity of provisions. Ware Brothers' store was recently entered and robbed of some merchandise and the L. & N. depot was broken open and relieved of about \$5 in cash. Thieves broke open the office of Ben Conke, who is engaged in the livery business, and secured \$14.50 in money. The "jobs" were evidently done by parties familiar with the premises, but as no clue was left in any of the cases, no arrests have yet been made.

SHAKESPEARE IS LITTLE TO POET

Actors May Give Better Tribute to Shakespeare by Reciting His Works Well.

The actors, who show little respect to the poet's text, according to Blackwood's Magazine, are determined to set up a monument to the poet's memory. Shillings are demanded in the public prints, and the warnings of the past are disregarded. No man that ever lived needs the poor honor that a statue can afford so little as Shakespeare. If you would seek his monument, open his book. Moreover, every attempt to celebrate his genius has ignominiously failed. Who thinks of the sad monument in Leicester Square without disgrace. Can anyone feel a pride in the vast ten garden which has been arranged, under the very best auspices, at Stratford-on-Avon? There is but one tribute which the actors of England need pay to England's dramatist. They may recite his works with the same restraint of gesture, intonation and adornment which interpreted his works in his own day. And if this method be not acceptable to them, let them be sincere in their admiration, and set up all the statues they can afford to the carpenters and scene painters, who are the real masters of the modern drama.

Bring On the Turkeys.

It appears that there are too few Guatemalan ants and too many boll weevils, and now there is talk of importing the Guatemalan turkey to help out the outnumbered ants. Although the time seems brief, it might be possible to fatten up a few of these strange turkeys in season for Thanksgiving day. Bring them on.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Sinking Rivers.

Several rivers of Australia's interior sink into the earth and are lost. A recent discovery in the district of Eucla shows that they form subterranean lakes 25 or 30 feet below the surface, and these lakes, if they prove to contain sufficient potable water, are expected to lead to the development of new territories in the arid region in which they occur.

Proof Positive.

Soques—I must have been unusually drunk yesterday. Hoques—Why do you think so? "I found a receipted bill from my tailor in my pocket this morning."—Chicago Daily News.

Ayer's Pills

Want your moustache or beard a beautiful brown or rich black? Use

LIFE TERM

WAS GIVEN BROWN.

Hopkinsville Negro Sent Up Under Habitual Criminal Act.

TRIED AT EDDYVILLE.

Escaped From Christian County Prison, But Was Later Captured.

Ollie Brown, col., formerly of Hopkinsville, was tried at Eddyville this week and given a life sentence, under the statute which prescribes that penalty for a third conviction. The charge that landed Brown in the prison was that of maliciously cutting Joe Mosely, the colored railroad excursion promoter, while the latter was defending Conductor Mullinix, when Brown tried to take possession of an I. C. passenger train. Several months ago Brown boarded the passenger train on the Louisville division. On being approached by Conductor Mullinix for his fare, he refused to pay. The conductor threatened to put him off, and started to do so when Brown pulled a gun. Leveling the revolver at Mullinix, the negro snapped the trigger, but it failed to go off. About this time Mosely saw what was on, and rushed to the assistance of the conductor. They overpowered Brown. During the melee, however, Brown cut Mosely behind the ear. The desperado was tied and held until Paducah was reached, when he was turned over to the authorities. Brown was placed in jail and arraigned in the police court on the charge of disorderly conduct, of which he was convicted. While serving his sentence he was taken back to Eddyville and has been in jail there since.

Brown was given one year in the McCracken circuit court for shooting at a Paducah officer. He escaped, but was captured in Indiana and served this sentence.

He was sent up from Christian county for three years. He was charged with robbing the toll-gate near Wood's Mill, when a bloodless duel took place between Brown and the gate keeper. He escaped from jail here, after shooting at Mr. W. T. Williamson, who was then jailer, but was captured near Emprise.

Auction Sale Of Horses and Mules.

Will sell at auction at Layne's Stable, Hopkinsville, Ky., on Saturday, Dec. 17th, 30 head of good horses and mules. Sale will commence at 1 o'clock p. m.

T. L. Parham.

NEXT THURSDAY NIGHT

The Young Ladies of Bethel College Will Entertain.

The young lady pupils of Bethel Female College will give their Holiday recital in the college chapel next Thursday evening, Dec. 22. The program will be unusually interesting and will consist of music, readings and other exercises. A reception will follow the recital and the school will adjourn on Friday for the holidays.

Brown-Grant.

Harvey Brown and Miss H. A. Grant, of near Macedonia, were married in the office of the County Clerk Tuesday by Judge Fowler.

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For Hauling Smallpox Patient Through the Streets.

A dispatch says: "A case out of the ordinary has been reported from Elkton, Todd county, Ky. Recently Dr. L. P. Trabue, who is county health physician, had some negro smallpox cases hauled through the streets of Elkton on their way from one of the rural districts to the county posthouse. This was in violation of one of the city laws, so Dr. Trabue was arrested, and before City Judge B. N. Gordon, was assessed a \$50 fine.

The doctor took the case to the circuit court and may take it on to the court of appeals to test it."

West-Hord.

C. F. West and Miss Flora Hord, both of the Crofton neighborhood, were married at the home of the bride yesterday afternoon. Rev. P. A. Thomas performed the ceremony.

DR. FENNER'S Kidney AND Backache Cure

Also Purifies the Blood.
Don't become discouraged. There is a cure for you. If necessary write Dr. Fenner. He has spent a lifetime curing just such cases as yours. All consultations FREE.
Health Entirely Broken



Dr. M. M. Fenner, Fredonia, N. Y.
Dear Sir—My health was broken up entirely from overwork, soaping, when I was recommended to take some of your Remedy.
I have used about 2 of your large size bottles and am more than pleased with the results as I have gained 20 pounds since I commenced taking it.
I would heartily recommend it to any woman for troubles peculiar to their sex.

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Sold by Druggists, 50c. and \$1. Get Cook Book and Treatise on the Kidneys—FREE.

W. A. P'POOL,

DEALER IN
Fine Whiskies, Wines, Brandies and Cigars.

I am making a Leader of

PAUL JONES' RYE.

Paul Jones' 4-Star Rye Whiskey,

Absolutely Pure—QUARTS \$1.00
1-PINTS 25c.

FOR SALE BY—

W. A. P'POOL, No. 12 and 14 West Seventh Street,
W. R. LONG, Cor. Ninth and R. R. Streets.

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Mr. L. B. Bayham, of Earlinton, was in the city Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Morris have quit housekeeping and will board at Fourteenth and Liberty streets.

Mrs. W. R. Howell has returned from Paducah and taken board on Fourteenth street.

Mr. W. C. Bell has returned from a trip to Michigan and will spend the holidays at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucian M. Cayce, of Grenada, Miss., are here on a visit to friends and relatives and will remain until after the holidays.

Capt. and Mrs. C. D. Bell have moved from the country to the city and are heading at Fourteenth and Liberty streets.

Rev. and Mrs. Chas. L. Nourse, who arrived with the body of their little son Monday, will remain in the county and city until after the holidays.

BARRED BY LIMITATION

Circuit Court Rules on Railroad Ticket Limit.

The Central Passenger association is sending out circular letters all over the country containing a copy of the decision of the circuit court at San Antonio, Texas, concerning the life of railroad tickets. This court held that if a ticket is not used in a reasonable length of time after it is purchased, it becomes barred by the statute of limitations.

Wynn Wedding.

A marriage license was issued Cecil W. Johnson yesterday to wed Miss "Bettie" Gambol. The young couple live near Wynn postoffice, this county.

Willis Mount, at Paducah, got 21 years for killing E. W. Nutty, fourteen months ago.

MRS. CHADWICK IS INDICTED AT CLEVELAND.

Forgery and Uttering Forged
Paper Charges She Must
Defend.

TWO TRUE BILLS FOUND

Iri Reynolds Goes on the
Stand and Tells How the
Woman Duped Him.

Cleveland, O., Dec. 13.—Trouble for Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick increased at a rapid rate yesterday. She was twice indicted by the grand jury of Cuyahoga County for forgery and uttering forged papers, and her old time friend, Iri Reynolds, took the stand in court during the bankruptcy hearing and made evident his intention to shield and protect her no longer. The aged Secretary of the Wade Park Bank presented a pathetic picture as he answered question after question which brought out his own implicit faith in the woman whose financial transactions have well nigh ruined him in fortune and caused him such infinite trouble.

The formal indictments voted against Mrs. Chadwick this afternoon are based one upon the Carnegie note for \$250,000, which was made payable at the office of Andrew Carnegie in New York City, and the other upon the Carnegie note for \$500,000, which was payable at the National Bank of Commerce in New York. Under each indictment are two counts, one charging forgery the other uttering of forged paper.

Information of the indictment was at once wired to New York by County Prosecutor Keeler, and he requested that Mrs. Chadwick be immediately re-arrested if she secured bail on the other charges hanging over her.

GROWERS DETERMINED

To Stand by Protective Association.

Clarksville, Tenn., Dec. 13.—A prominent farmer of this county, who has been one of the most active workers in organizing the Tobacco Planters Protective Association, predicts, with confidence, that within ten days there will not be a tobacco planter who is not identified with the organization. He says that the farmers are joining faster today than ever before, and they are all more determined than ever before, that they will stand by the organization, and sell their tobacco only through that association.

COL. HOWELL'S SUIT

Against Jasper Riley to be
Tried at Eddyville.

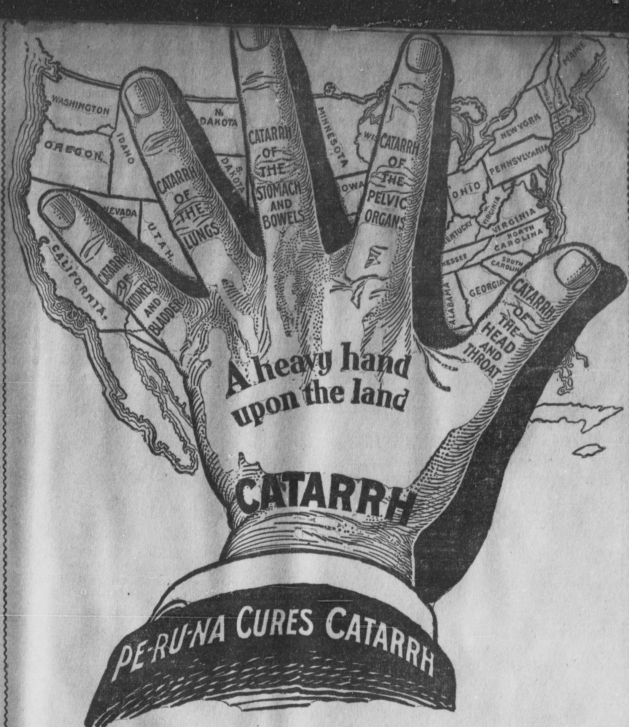
Col. W. R. Howell is in Eddyville this week for the purpose of attending the trial of his suit against Jasper Riley for \$1,000 claimed to be due on a mining property deal. Riley owned some mineral land and Mr. Howell claims he entered into a contract with the owner to sell the property for a certain percentage. He further claims that he succeeded in disposing of the land for \$15,000, of which purchase price \$3,000 was paid in cash. He claims now that Riley will not pay him the commission, hence the suit.

Dixon's Curfew Law.

At a recent meeting of the trustees of the town of Dixon an ordinance was passed that at the ringing of the court house bell at 7:30 o'clock p. m. to April 1st, all the children under the age of 18 years must be off the streets and alleys of the town.—Journal.

Tennessee White Corn whiskey \$2.00 gallon at Samuel & Co., 108 Main St.

Mr. Chas. Wessman, representing Geo. D. Whitcomb Co., Chicago, is in the city. Mr. Wessman has been selling considerable mining machinery in this section of the state.



Peruna is recommended by fifty members of Congress, by Governors, Consuls, Generals, Majors, Captains, Admirals, Eminent Physicians, Clergymen, many Hospitals and public institutions, and thousands upon thousands of those in the humbler walks of life.

Ask your Druggist for a Peruna Almanac for 1905.

HOWELL HAPPENINGS.

Howell, Ky., Dec. 15.—There has been and now is quite a stir in this section over the smallpox. Mr. M. D. Keatts, who had a severe case, is now convalescing. There are two new cases among the whites, Mrs. Frank Rives and Howard Giles, the son of Mrs. Lula E. Giles.

Miss Lillian Giles is visiting friends in Lebanon, Tenn., and will possibly not return for some several weeks.

Mrs. C. S. Coleman, of Gracey, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. T. F. Clardy.

Mr. Mack Rives will return to California this week or next, after an extended visit to his parents, near Garrettsburg.

Rev. H. C. McGill has returned from a two week's visit to relatives in Jonesboro, Ark.

Mrs. S. J. Lowry has been at the bedside of her sick daughter, Mrs. George Gilbert, in Clarksville, for several days.

Miss Ada Adams, who has been attending South Kentucky College, is at home, and will not return until possibly next year.

Rev. E. J. Weller, of Russellville, supplied for pastor McGill at Olivet on Dec. 4th, to the satisfaction of all.

JAIL, NOT CONGRESS.

Dusky Aspirant for Latter
On His Way to Former.

Charleston, S. C., Dec. 12.—Ashon P. Prioleau, colored Republican candidate at the last election for Congress in the First district, was today convicted in the United States Court and ordered sent to jail, for violating section 3891, Revised Statutes—interfering with and opening a decoy letter—while a railway postal clerk in 1892. The jury, including one negro, first stood eleven to one for conviction, and later brought in a verdict of guilty with a recommendation to mercy.

Famous Kent whiskey 4 yrs. old, \$2.00 gallon at Samuel & Co's., 108 Main St.

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You can hunt the map all over and you can't find another store in this vicinity where there are so many appropriate gifts for Men and Boys.

Come to a man's store for a man's things. We know what is right and correct, and we know what men like.



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Fine Clothes Makers
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Suits, Overcoats, White Vests, Rain Coats, Hats, Umbrellas, Dress suit cases, Beautiful Neckwear, Hand-some Mufflers, Full Dress Protectors, Gloves for easy wear, Fancy Half Hose and Suspenders. Prices low enough. Money back if you want it.

J. T. WALL & CO.,
One Price Store.

ness district, and is the only station in Chicago on the Union Elevated Loop, where cars may be taken to any other station or to any portion of the city or suburbs.

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J. C. HOOE, Agt.

Needed an Opiate.
Farmer—What will you take
hoe an acre of potatoes?
Tramp—Oh, any kind of do
so's. I won't know wot I'm doin'.
Judge.

is purely vegetable and
to cure malaria, sick-
and all stomach, kidney
TRY IT
50 Cents a Bottle.

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At the present price of silver, the heaviest plate is the most economical. Triple plate will wear three times as long as single. The present price of silver is so low that this is now only a small part of the manufacturing cost.

COMMUNITY SILVER

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It is guaranteed for twenty-five years and gives the consumer the full benefit of the reduction in the price of silver. This ware has the two essentials of "style" and durability.

Let us show you our full line of the beautiful pattern in

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For Sale by Jas. H. Skarry,

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Good, Fresh, Nice,

To eat and your wants will be supplied.

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 Matting, Rugs, Blankets, Pic-
 tures, Comforts**

And so on, to see me. If you need a new stove and haven't enough money come to me and pay what you have and I will give you time on the balance.

H. L. Harton,

Ninth Street—Postoffice Block.

Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic

It stood the test 25 years. Average Annual Sales over One and a Half Million. Does this record of merit appeal to you? No Cure, No Pay. 50c.

Enclosed with every bottle is a Ten Cent package of Grove's Black Root Liver Pills.

THEY NEVER FAIL.

That is What They Say About Them in Hopkinsville, and it is Therefore Reliable.

Another proof, some more evidence. Hopkinsville testimony to swell the long list of advocates who endorse the old Quaker Remedy—Doan's Kidney Pills. Read this convincing endorsement of the claims made for that remarkable preparation:

M. W. Davis, of Eades & Davis, dealers in coal, on East Seventh St., at the L. & N. R. R., and who lives at 508 North Main street, says: "I advise the use of Doan's Kidney Pills in all cases similar to that of my son, who for some time complained of backache and was troubled with a kidney weakness which was very annoying at night. We tried many different remedies and he was treated by the family physician but nothing seemed to do him much good. I learned about Doan's Kidney Pills and got a box at Thomas & Trahern's drug store. He used them and there was a noticeable improvement in a short time. After he had taken all of the contents that which had proven such an annoyance was entirely relieved. We consider Doan's Kidney Pills certainly worthy of strong endorsement."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Edwarp Wilson, a piano tuner, of Dayton, Ky., was probably fatally shot by his father-in-law.

Cured Paralysis.

W. S. Bailey, P. O. True, Texas, writes: "My wife had been suffering five years with paralysis in her arm, when I was persuaded to use Ballard's Snow Liniment, which cured her all right. I have also used it for sores, frostbites and skin eruptions. It does the work." 25c, 50c and \$1. Sold by R. C. Hardwick.

Spencer Carrington, the oldest members of the House of Commons, is dead.

The Blind May See.

Dr. D. Garbark's Eye Remedy cured hundreds in Tennessee who were nearly blind with sore eyes, granulated eyelids, watering, itching, burning, inflamed eyes, and who had scars or pterigions on their eyes could not see their wives were given up by doctors as incurable after paying out hundreds of dollars. Call or write for free sample, and you will be convinced that you can be cured. No matter how severe your case is, nor of how long standing, address Dr. D. Garbark, 609 1/2 North Summer Street, Nashville, Tennessee.

J. S. Lasley, former jailer of La rue county, died at Hogenville of paralysis.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

Two young offenders cut their way out of the four courts building at St. Louis.

Heart Fluttering.

Undigested food and gas in the stomach, located just below the heart, presses against it and causes heart palpitation. When your heart troubles you in that way take Herbine for a few days. You will soon be all right. 50c. Sold by R. C. Hardwick.

Japanese at Port Arthur announce that further bombardment of the Russian fleet there is unnecessary, as it has been sufficiently disabled.

Women love a clear, healthy complexion. Pure blood makes it. Burdock Blood Bitters makes pure blood.

A fifth attempt has been made to destroy with dynamite the buildings of the Viewport, Ky., Lion Foundry and Machine Company.

Bodily pain loses its terror if you've a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the house. Instant relief in cases of burns, cuts, sprains, accidents of any sort.

Those desiring life insurance will find it to their interest to investigate the plans and record of the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company of Newark, N. J. No stockholders. All profits divided among policy holders. It is conspicuous for economical management, liberality of its policy contract, fair dealing with its members and large annual dividends to reduce cost of your insurance.

WALLACE & MOORE, Agents.

CRAFTY TRAPDOOR SPIDER.

Almost Human Intelligence of the Insect in Concealing Its Nest from Detection.

Some years ago, in Otago, when running the level over an open piece of ground, I noticed a clew—the secret of which had been imparted to me a few evenings before by Mr. Gillies—whereby the presence of a burrow may be detected, says a writer in Longman's Magazine. My mind at that time being full of the subject of the trapdoor spider and her work, I began at once to look for the door.

In spite of the most careful search my efforts were unavailing, and I was about to give up the quest when my eye was attracted to a small, round patch which seemed to be engaged in a peculiar sucking motion. The spider, disturbed at my approach, had rushed to the surface and was tugging at the door to keep it shut. As I knelt there, examining the nest, I was joined by one of the chainmen. After regarding it for some time in silence, he said: "Looks as if he'd thought it out, doesn't it?" Simply, the spider had.

The soil at that spot was clay, hard and baked, and the cunning little deceiver, with the deliberate intention of drawing attention from the nest, made the mouth to simulate a crack in the ground. What made the concealment more complete was the crafty way in which the crack was continued beyond the lid into the ground itself. Even though I knew the door was there, its exact position when closed, defied detection.

KNEE PANTS THE THING.

Knickerbockers the Solution of Every Difficulty Connected with the Long Trousers.

According to a London paper the long trousers has every fault which it is possible to combine in a single garment. It rubs at the ankle—which is not true of the knickerbocker. If you turn up the trouser, then you create a horizontal crease which is just as bad as the rubbing of the elbow. A band of leather does not really save the trouser from attrition against the boot.

Then, consider the knees. No amount of pressing or stitching will really save a pair of trousers from becoming baggy at this singularly inopportune joint. The man who is true to his trousers must never sit and must never run. Only by standing still, or at most walking slowly, can he preserve the contour of his costume.

Here again knickerbockers solve the problem. The chief beauty of knickerbockers is that they are baggy at the knees. Their virtue is the trousers' vice. And there are other advantages.

On a muddy day a man with long trousers finds that they are covered with dust. He cannot send them to the wash, and has to trust entirely to the clothes brush or vacuum cleaner. But in the case of stockings all he has to do is to put on a new pair next morning.

It is therefore no wonder that two pairs of trousers are necessary to last out one "coat and vest," whereas two "coats and vests" are necessary to last out one pair of knee breeches.

Humans Who Live in Nests.

Travelers who have returned from the heart of Africa and the Australasian continent tell wonderful stories of nest-building people who inhabit the wilds of those countries. The bushmen of Australia are perhaps the lowest order of men known. They are so primitive that they do not know enough to build even the simplest form of hut or shelter. The nearest they can approach to it is to gather a lot of twigs and grass, and taking them into a thicket or jungle, build a nest large enough for the family, and if the latter be numerous then the nests are of large size. Sometimes the foliage above will form a natural covering, but there is never any attempt at constructing a protection from storms.—Chicago Journal.

Different Cases.

"What is that going in Dryer's cellar?"

"A case of ginger ale. He signed the pledge not long ago."

"Why, he used to get cases of champagne."

"Yes, but circumstances alter cases, you know."—Chicago Daily News.

CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

What is CASTORIA

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhea and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

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AT ALL GROCERS
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As the season for Caps is over, our are now ready for hats. Call and take advantage of the price I am making on all

Ready - to - Wear and Trimmed Hats.

Also Children's Hats and Headwear. The Popular Price Milliner.

Miss Fannie B. Rogers,
 No. 210 South Main.

TO OUR FARMER FRIENDS.

Clarksville, Tenn., Nov. 5, 1904.

This crop of tobacco bids fair to be of better quality than the last one, and it is undoubtedly a short crop in quantity, and we wish to go on record as predicting BETTER PRICES than last season. If you will put your tobacco on the open market for sale, either LOOSE or PRIZED, it will go far towards solving the trust proposition. The price sale is mainly what is ruining prices. Sell your tobacco where the whole world can have a chance to buy it, and you will undoubtedly realize better prices.

Assort and order your tobacco well and put it on the Loose Floor and we will get you full prices. Liberal advances made on consignments. Free quarters for men and teams within the warehouse.

Thanking you for your patronage, we are,

Your friends,

Kendrick-Runyon Tob. Warehouse Co.

BANKRUPT PETITION

Filed by Lamar Monarch, of This County.

Owensboro, Ky., Dec. 12.—H. Lamar Monarch, formerly in the wholesale whiskey business in Cincinnati, now of Oak Grove, Christian county, filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States Court here today. His liabilities amount to \$16,220 and his assets to only \$625, all of which he claims as exempt. His largest creditor is the W. V. Monarch Company, a defunct corporation, which had its place of business in Cincinnati. He owes it \$12,000. Mr. Monarch is a son-in-law of the late Hon. James A. McKenzie, and is a son of Mr. M. V. Monarch, of this city.

Green Must Hang.

The Court of Appeals has affirmed the death sentence of Roy Green, the Owensboro negro who murdered a white man at the fair grounds.

If you want pure old whiskey buy from Samuel & Co., 108 S. Main St.

HOLLAND'S

OPERA HOUSE

ONE NIGHT ONLY.

Wednesday, Dec. 21st.

Kilroy & Britton's Marvelous Sensational Success.

AN ARISTOCRATIC TRAMP.

See the Exciting Automobile Race and Explosion. The Most Realistic Railroad Scene Ever Produced.

Five Big Specialty Acts. Prices—25c, 35c, and 50c. Seats at Hardwick's.

OFFICERS ELECTED

Mr. F. J. Brownell President of the Y. M. C. A.

The recently chosen Directors of the Young Men's Christian Association met Monday night and elected the following officers: President, F. J. Brownell. Vice President, J. H. Anderson. Secretary, R. A. Rogers. Treasurer, F. W. Dabney.

TRUSTEES.

F. J. Brownell, W. P. Winfree, four years. Nat Galtner, one year. W. T. Fowler, one year. Geo. C. Long, three years. G. W. Wiley, four years. M. C. Forbes, two years. R. E. Cooper, three years. J. I. Landes, two years.

The monthly meetings will be held the first Tuesday in each month.

Val P. Collins, a Louisville architect, was employed to present plans for the building to be erected. Messrs. F. J. Brownell, F. W. Dabney and J. T. Edmunds were made a committee to investigate proposed sites, with a view to purchasing a suitable lot.

Col. Henry One.

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 14.—Following is a list of the delegates appointed by Governor Beckham to represent Kentucky at the American Forest Congress to be held at Washington, D.C., Jan. 2 to 6, 1905: J. H. Bartlett, Middleboro; Thomas Pickett, Mayville; M. H. Crump, Dr. Geo. T. Wilson, Mrs. James A. Mitchell, Bowling Green; F. C. Mason, Berea; J. S. Johnson, John Stites, Hunt Jones, John B. Castleman, Chas. F. Grainger, E. F. Debaugh, Mrs. Mason Maury, Louisville; D. A. Yeiser, Paducah; Thos. C. Combs, Lexington; Martin Yewell, Owensboro; Jounett Henry, Hopkinsville; J. S. Darnall, Frankfort.

All kinds of case goods. Bottled in Bond whiskey at Samuel & Co's.

UNTIL HER DEATH

Seventeen-Year-Old Girl Remained a Babe.

Glasgow, Ky., Dec. 13.—Miss Lucy Harris, daughter of Mrs. Mary Harris, is dead. Although she lived to be 17 years old, she remained a baby and never weighed over 20 pounds. In a semi-conscious state she lay in bed from day to day, almost lifeless and entirely helpless. She could not feed herself or let her wants be known. She never made a sound except a low, pitiful cry, and seemed to be afraid of any one except her mother.

Several years ago, while her mother was absent from the room, a chicken flew on the bed and pecked the child's eyes until she was almost blind.

IT WAS LOADED.

Youth Accidentally Wounds Himself in the Hand.

Archie Hopson, the 12-year-old son of Mr. Henry F. Hopson, who lives on the Canton pike, accidentally shot himself in the hand Tuesday afternoon while handling a pistol. The wound is a painful one, but not necessarily dangerous.

Stole His Leghorns.

Jim Pool, the colored barber, had a fine flock of a dozen Brown Leghorns. The other night some thief helped himself to eight of them.

For the medicine chest or sideboard, I. W. HARPER Whiskey is pre-eminently the family whiskey—none better. Sold by W. R. Long, Hopkinsville, Ky.

DR. EDWARDS,

SPECIALTY:

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.

Test Made for Glasses.

Phoenix Bldg., Hopkinsville, Ky.

"ARISTOCRATIC TRAMP"

Will Be the Next Attraction at the Opera House.

There are a dozen so-called "tramps" shows on the road, but manager Holland, whose aim is to give his patrons nothing but the best, has booked only one of this class. It is "An Aristocratic Tramp," and while having a "Wandering Willie" he is not of that nauseating, tin-can calibre. The piece is thoroughly high class and teaches a moral, and at the same time most pathetically one of the prettiest of stories. Kilroy and Britton, two of the cleverest vaudeville stars, head one of the very best acting companies ever seen on the local stage. The scenery is lavish in every detail and the sensational features are wonderful pieces of stage mechanism. This attraction for which seats are now on sale, will be seen here for one performance only on next Wednesday evening, December 21.

CAME IN CONTACT

With Live Wire and Death Was Instantaneous.

Guthrie, Ky., Dec. 12.—George Corley, an electrician, was instantly killed while at work in the electric light plant. He accidentally got hold of a live wire. The shock of electricity which passed through his body was so great that one leg and both arms were broken. Corley was 26 years old and was reared near Guthrie.

SECRETARY MORTON

Will Remain in the Cabinet at President's Request.

Washington, Dec. 12.—President Roosevelt announced today that Secretary Morton, at his earnest request, had consented to remain in the Cabinet after Mr. H. C. as Secretary of the Navy.

COAL FAMINE FEARED.

Ohio River is so Low, That Boats Cannot Run.

Cincinnati, Dec. 12.—The Ohio river at this point is now lower than in any December in forty-two years, and according to Weather Observer Baer, the conditions are not likely soon to improve, so that the coal situation is becoming daily more acute. Shortage of coal cars is said to be delaying shipments by rail, which would under any circumstances be insufficient to supply the demands, and several leading coal men today expressed a fear that a coal famine was imminent. No coal has been received by river for several months; the usual November rise having failed to materialize.

COAL, COAL.

One Hundred Pounds for 5 Cents.

The Terry Coal and Coke Co. has opened a new mine one mile West of Old Empire and is selling 100 pounds of coal for 5 cents at the mines. This offer holds good to the farmers and wagon trade until January 1. For further information apply at company's office, room No. 7, Odd Fellow's building, Hopkinsville, Ky.

Christmas Gifts.

If you want photographs for Christmas presents, come now and sit for them, so as to give us time to finish them. We are also making nice 16x20 bromides. You could not find a better thing for wife or husband than one of the little ones' pictures in a nice frame. We have them at the right price.

ANDERSON'S STUDIO.

Dividend No. 37.

At a semi-annual meeting of the Board of Directors of the Crescent Milling Co., a dividend for four (4) per cent, was declared out of the earnings for the six months ending Nov. 30th, and payable Jan. 1st, 1905. E. A. ROGERS, Sec. and Treas.

We Have The

Vaccine Points And Shields

Sulphur, - Fum and other Disinfectants.

Cook & Higginbotham

Druggists

Both Home, 1215, and Cumberland, 1215, Phones.



THE AMOUNT GROWN

Quickly after the first deposit, the account was opened, was spent without thought, is sent to

The Planters Bank Trust Company

and such sums as may be withdrawn upon present check. The business of this conducted on safe lines, interest of depositors fully guarded.

A Mammoth Pre-Holiday Sale Event.

A Backward Season Has Found Us Overstocked and in Order to Clear Stock

FOR THE HOLIDAYS,

We Offer These Special Prices.

CLOAKS, SUITS AND FURS

FOR LADIES, MISSES AND CHILDREN AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES

Shirt Waists 98c.

Women's Shirt Waists, all wool, French Flannel, button trimmed, stock collar, new full sleeve, worth \$1.25 and \$1.50, Special 98c.

Shirt Waists \$1.50.

Women's Shirt Waists, of French Wool Batiste, French knot trimming, fancy stock collar, new stylish sleeve, worth \$2.00; Special \$1.50.

3.75! SILK SHIRT WAISTS. 3.75!

We place in this sale our entire stock of Silk Waists, made of best Chiffon Taffeta Silk, button and fancy stitched trimmed, fancy stock and new full sleeve, finished with Brown and Navy. Regular \$4.50 and \$5.00 waists, Special \$3.75.

Walking Skirts 2.98.

We will place on sale 100 Ladies' fine tailored Walking Skirts, in mannish mixture and solid colors, all wool material, finished with pleats, straps and buttons, a regular \$4.00 skirt for \$2.98.

Child's Coats \$3.98.

At this price you get choice of all our \$5.00 Child's Coats, age 6 to 12 years. They come in Zibeline, Kersey and Manish Mixtures. Some with capes with strap in back and some without capes; Peter Thompson style with strap in back, all new stylish coats at \$3.98.

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1.00	79c.
1.25	98c.
1.50	1.19.
2.00	1.48.
2.50	1.95.
3.00	2.43.
3.50	2.87.
4.00	3.19.
5.00	3.95.

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All our \$12.50 Cravanette Rain Coats reduced to \$9.38.

Rain Coats 11.75.

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